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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Avigen, Inc.,

No. C-02-0880 MMC (MED)

Plaintiff,

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

v.

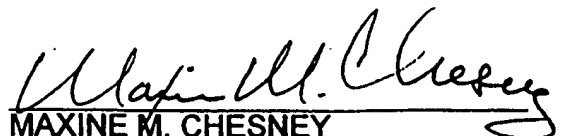
Research Corporation Technologies, Inc.,
Defendant.

The parties hereto, by their counsel, having advised the Court that they have agreed to a settlement of this cause,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that this cause be dismissed without prejudice; provided, however, that if any party hereto shall certify to this Court, within ninety days, with proof of service of a copy thereon on opposing counsel, that the agreed consideration for said settlement has not been delivered over, the foregoing Order shall stand vacated and this cause shall forthwith be restored to the calendar to be set for trial.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: FEB 21 2003


MAXINE M. CHESNEY
United States District Judge



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Plaintiff,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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I, the undersigned, hereby certify that I am an employee in the Office of the Clerk, U.S. District Court, Northern District of California.

That on February 20th, 2003, I SERVED a true and correct copy(ies) of the attached, by placing said copy(ies) in a postage paid envelope addressed to the person(s) hereinafter listed, by depositing said envelope in the U.S. Mail, or by placing said copy(ies) into an inter-office delivery receptacle located in the Clerk's office.

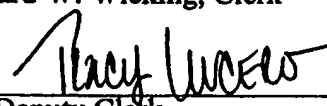
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Dated: February 20th, 2003

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